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Anticipated Floor Schedule

On Tuesday, the House will meet at 9:00 a.m. for morning hour and 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.
Last votes expected: 9-10:00 p.m.

One Minutes

H.Res. __ - Rule providing for consideration of H.R. 4571 - Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act of 2004
(Sponsored by Rep. Sessions / Rules Committee)

Suspensions (3 bills):

- 1) **H.R. 3369** - Nonprofit Athletic Organization Protection Act of 2003
(Sponsored by Rep. Souder / Judiciary Committee)
- 2) **H.R. 1787** - Good Samaritan Volunteer Firefighter Assistance Act of 2003
(Sponsored by Rep. Castle / Judiciary Committee)
- 3) **H.R. 1084** - Volunteer Pilot Organization Protection Act (Sponsored by Rep. Schrock / Judiciary Committee)

H.R. 4571 - Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act of 2004 (Modified Closed Rule)
(Sponsored by Rep. Smith (TX) / Judiciary Committee)

The rule provides for one hour of general debate and makes in order the following amendment:

Turner (TX) Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute (40 minutes of debate)

H.R. 5025 - Transportation, Treasury, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2005
(Privileged, Begin Consideration) (Sponsored by Rep. Istook / Appropriations Committee)

Special Orders

Wednesday's Forecast

On Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.

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(Privileged, Complete Consideration) (Sponsored by Rep. Istook / Appropriations Committee)

Quote of the Day

"I feel very strongly that we need real and enforceable penalties for frivolous lawsuits that may be filed in this country."

-- Senator John Edwards on NBC's Meet the Press (5/5/02)